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Poll: Support for AR-15 Bans Continues to Drop, Most Opposed



What Happens When Millions of Gun Owners Become Felons May 31st 2023?

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BEARING ARMS

Colorado Governor Signs Four Gun Control Bills Into Law, 2A Groups Respond

FBI Stats Show State Gun Bans Lead to Spiking Gun Sales

Colorado politics Polis signs 4 gun control bills, Colorado gun group sues in court

Watch an Air Force B-21 Carpet Bombing exercise. This is truly spectacular; do not be surprised if you watch it several times.





Ballistics for Hunters: Understanding your Hunting Cartridges



The Anatomy of a Hunting Bullet



Video: 7 Gun-Free Tactics To Defend Your Home



Colorado

Gun Restriction Bills Signed Into Law Met With Immediate Lawsuits

Things You Say After 50

- 1. Where the h#!! is my phone?
- 2. How did I get this bruise?
- 3. That isn't my password either? WTH?!
- 4. How do they expect you to read this small print?
- 5. Where did I put my glasses?
- 6. I don't care if it doesn't look fashionable, its comfortable!
- 7. Who the heck is calling at 9:30 pm??
- 8. Does anyone say please and thank you anymore?
- 9. Geez, how do you throe your body out of whack just by sleeping wrong?? WTH?
- 10. This scale can't be right!!
- 11. WTH is wrong with people nowadays??
- 12. Why did I come into this room?

GUN OWNER



WHAT THE MEDIA THINKS I DO



WHAT THE GOVERNMENT THINKS I DO



WHAT SOCIETY THINKS I DO



WHAT I THINK I DO



WHAT MY FRIENDS THINK I DO



WHAT I REALLY DO

BEARING ARMS

Hollywood Renews Anti-Gun Push

Colo. Rep. Neguse Rolls Out Several Freedom Limiting Bills



Mass Media Gun Reports are a Disinformation Campaign



Tanner Gun Show - Denver May 5th - 7th - Crowne Plaza

Buy Tickets

Tanner Gun Show - Denver July 28th - 30th - Crowne Plaza

Buy Tickets

The Firearms Coalition of Colorado 05-03-2023 Legislative Alert- Urgent-SB23-279 up in House-HB23-1165 postponed again

SB23-279, Unserialized Firearms and Firearm Components, passed the House Judiciary Committee on Tuesday, 05-02-23 on a Party-Line Vote. This bill would ban the manufacture of homemade firearms in Colorado. Please contact your State Representative to oppose. The bill will be up this week in the House on Second Reading. Please contact your State Representative to oppose. If tomorrow's schedule comes out before midnight, this bill could be up tomorrow!

HCR23-1003, Constitutional Concealed Carry of a Handgun, proposed a Constitutional Amendment for the voters of Colorado to allow concealed carry without a permit in any place not prohibited by state law. The bill was Postponed Indefinitely on a Party-Line Vote on Monday 05-01-2023 in the House State Affairs Committee.

HB23-1165, County Authority to Prohibit Firearms Discharge, has been postponed again. The assigned committee, the Senate Local Government and Housing Committee meets on Thursday, 05-04-2023 Upon Adjournment in Senate Committee Room 352 on the Third Floor of the Capitol. Tomorrow's schedule is not yet out. Please contact the Committee Members and your State Senator in opposition. Testify in person or remotely, if possible, when the bill comes up. If you have previously signed up with this committee, you need to sign up again. If tomorrow's schedule comes out before midnight, this bill could be up tomorrow!

Please come down to testify at committee hearings, if you are able. If you come down to the Capitol, no guns, or sharp objects of any kind. No signs inside the building. No clothing with political slogans. No food, hats, or beverages, other than bottled water, in the hearing room. No camo or hunter orange. Sport coat and tie OK. You will have to go through a metal detector and may be asked to remove your belt and pass the buckle through the machine. Come early and plan to stay late. Come into the Capitol through the south ground floor entrance. Double check the schedule. Hearing details can change. Plan to leave the Capitol in groups. You will be unarmed in a bad neighborhood.

You can sign up in advance to testify at any upcoming hearing at the following link.

.https://www2.leg.state.co.us/CLICS/CLICS2023A/commsumm.nsf/signIn.xsp

This link will work for in-person testimony, remote testimony, or for the submission of written testimony. Your remote testimony can be either video, or audio only. After you sign up, you should receive an e-mail with additional instructions. A link and a phone number are available, if you have problems accessing the above testimony link. You can sign up on the link once the bill is placed on the committee schedule. It is probably a good idea to sign up early.

To watch and/or listen to a hearing at your home, office, or shop, you can access the audio link here, when the hearing begins: Watch & Listen | Colorado General Assembly

Follow the Colorado Legislative Session at: https://leg.colorado.gov/ Bookmark the Site. To reach your Senator, call: 303-866-2316. To reach your Representative, call: 303-866-2904. You can locate your elected officials on the State Web Site at: https://leg.colorado.gov/find-my-legislator.

Information on Bills can be found here:

Bills, Resolutions, & Memorials | Colorado General Assembly

Committee Schedules are here:

Committees | Colorado General Assembly

Be courteous and concise in your comments to all elected officials. Where appropriate, state facts and the personal impact of legislation on you and your family. It is important to let elected officials know your opinion, even if they oppose your views. They need to know there is significant, principled opposition to their intended course of action, or they will assume that no one cares and will pursue even more outrageous proposals.

Follow us at: https://groups.io/g/gunissues. (May need to copy and paste.) (You must sign on to join this group.)

Follow us at: CaucusRoom. (You must sign on to join this group. We are listed as a "Club.").

The Firearms Coalition of Colorado is an NRA Grassroots Affiliate. Our all-volunteer organization depends on memberships and the generosity of Second Amendment Supporters. Please join or contribute to The Firearms Coalition of Colorado. Individual memberships are still \$25 per year. Send check or money order to:

The Firearms Coalition of Colorado, PO Box 1454, Englewood, CO 80150-1454





Federal Suppressor Ban Introduced! If It Becomes Law, You'll Have 90 Days to Turn 'Em In

April 2023 Sees Slight Increase in NSSF-Adjusted NICS Background Checks

Conundrums of socialism in the United States of America

- 1. America is capitalist and greedy yet half of the population is subsidized.
- 2. Half of the population is subsidized yet they think they are victims.
- 3. They think they are victims yet their representatives run the government.
- 4. Their representatives run the government yet the poor keep getting poorer.
- 5. The poor keep getting poorer yet they have things that people in other countries only dream about.

6. They have things that people in other countries only dream about - yet they want America to be more like those other countries.

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Upcoming "Holidays" to Look Forward To

May

- May 5: Cinco de Mayo
- May 5: World Password Day (First Thursday of May)
- May 6: National Nurses Day
- May 6: Space Day (First Friday of May)
- May 8: Mother's Day (Second Sunday of May)
- May 9: Europe Day
- May 11: National Receptionist Day (Second Wednesday of May)
- May 12: National Limerick Day
- May 15: International Day of Families
- May 16: Love a Tree Day
- May 20: National Bike to Work Day (Third Friday of May)
- May 20: Endangered Species Day (Third Friday of May)
- May 21: National Memo Day
- May 24: National Scavenger Hunt Day
- May 26: National Red Nose Day (Last Thursday of May)

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